

STATE OF WISCONSIN
Town of St. Germain, Vilas County

Resolution SG-21-09-01
Upgrading of Birch Spring Road

WHEREAS Birch Spring Road is a town road of approximately 2.3 miles in the Town of St. Germain, and of which approximately 0.3 miles is a paved boundary road with the Town of Plum Lake and the remaining approximately 2.0 miles is essentially non-navigable due to its poor condition; and

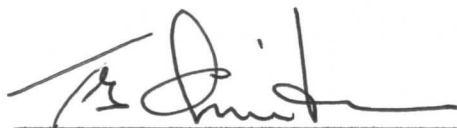
WHEREAS the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, Forestry Division, has requested the Town of St. Germain improve the condition of approximately 2.0 miles of Birch Spring Road to facilitate better access for timber harvest operations and recreational uses on lands owned by the State of Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources has offered funding in the amount of \$140,000.00 to offset the Town's costs for upgrading Birch Spring Road to a gravel surface of 12 feet in width, but allowing the Town to upgrade to a wider road if it wishes with all costs beyond \$140,000.00 being the responsibility of the Town,

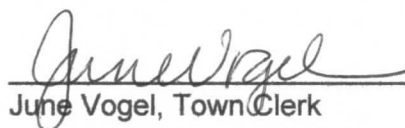
NOW, BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Town of St. Germain:

1. Accepts the \$140,000 of State funding to upgrade approximately 2.0 miles of Birch Spring Road to at least the minimum standard specified by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, Division of Forestry.
2. Agrees to pay all costs for engineering and construction beyond \$140,000.00 to achieve a road standard exceeding the specified minimum.
3. Commits to causing the upgrade of Birch Spring Road to be accomplished as part of the Town's road improvement projects by no later than the end of calendar year 2022.

Adopted this 2th day of September 2021



Tom Christensen, Town Chairman



June Vogel, Town Clerk